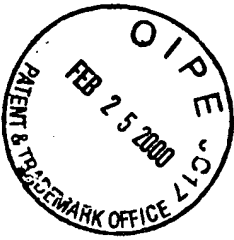


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For: METHOD OF PRODUCING ANTIBODIES TO ANTIGENS OF HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS TYPE 1 (HIV-1)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO PAPER NO. 29

In response to the Office Action dated October 28, 1999 (Paper No. 29), the period of response to which has been extended by filing a Petition for a one month extension of time and fee concurrently herewith, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE TITLE:

Please delete the title in its entirety, and insert therefor -- HIV-1 DNA FRAGMENTS
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